

2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中英语试卷

语法选择

1. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第1~15题15分

Last summer holidays, my classmates and I helped with a charity show. Its aim (目的) was 1 money for these children who couldn't go to school in poor areas.

We did a lot for that. I felt happy when I 2 to be the host. Although it was 3, 4 I was very nervous because of the TV cameras. I knew that lots of people would to watch the show, also there would 5 a large audience in 6 front of the TV. As some famous stars would come to the show, one of my duties 7 to introduce each of them. I also had some other things to do. So I often worked 8 morning to night. It was hard work, 9 I was happy. I practiced a lot before the show. I had to remember all the words and to everything right at the same time. At first, I thought I would never be able to do it well. I kept 10 myself not to be nervous.

Slowly everything became much 11. The big day came very 12. Hundreds of people came to the show. They donated money and materials. And the local businesses also gave 13 a lot of support. 14 is generous (慷慨的) of them to do so! After the show, we sent the donations to those poor children. Soon they wrote back. They were really grateful to us. I was very proud that I could 15 them.

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|----------------|----------------|-------------|---------------|
| 1. A. raise | B. raised | C. to raise | D. to raising |
| 2. A. choose | B. chose | C. am chose | D. was chosen |
| 3. A. excite | B. excited | C. exciting | D. to excite |
| 4. A. but | B. / | C. and | D. so |
| 5. A. be | B. have | C. had | D. was |
| 6. A. a | B. an | C. the | D. / |
| 7. A. is | B. was | C. are | D. were |
| 8. A. from | B. in | C. at | D. on |
| 9. A. or | B. but | C. and | D. so |
| 10. A. tell | B. telling | C. told | D. to tell |
| 11. A. easily | B. more easily | C. easier | D. easy |
| 12. A. fast | B. fastly | C. faster | D. fastest |
| 13. A. we | B. our | C. us | D. ourselves |
| 14. A. It | B. That | C. This | D. These |
| 15. A. to help | B. helping | C. helps | D. help |

完形填空

2. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第16~25题10分

It was Friday night. Marty was 1 in a chair. He put his feet up on the table, watching TV without a care. His mom was in the 2 . Suddenly she started feeling 3 so she decided to finish washing the dishes later. Then she went to bed for a rest. She needed to 4 .

Marty turned the TV off and asked, "Are you all right?" His mom said, "I'm OK. I'll wash the dishes later."

Marty felt a little sad. He wanted to be 5 . So while his mother was in bed, he washed up all the dishes and every little spot. He worked for a long time. 6 the kitchen became so clean and Marty felt better, because he made a difference there. When Marty's mom woke up, she came into the kitchen. She couldn't 7 her eyes. She cried 8 and held Marty in her arms. The kitchen was all cleaned up. It was such a nice 9 . She told him he was a super kid. So Marty learned that helping others could be 10 to do. If you make someone happy, you will feel happy too.

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|----------------|---------------|--------------|-----------------|
| 1. A. studying | B. relaxing | C. cleaning | D. standing |
| 2. A. bedroom | B. garden | C. kitchen | D. sitting room |
| 3. A. lonely | B. lazy | C. sick | D. frightened |
| 4. A. lie down | B. lie around | C. turn down | D. turn around |
| 5. A. simple | B. pleasant | C. healthy | D. helpful |
| 6. A. Finally | B. Suddenly | C. Recently | D. Hardly |
| 7. A. open | B. catch | C. believe | D. close |
| 8. A. luckily | B. happily | C. seriously | D. angrily |
| 9. A. chance | B. joke | C. choice | D. surprise |
| 10. A. cruel | B. fun | C. dangerous | D. bad |

阅读理解

3. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第26~30题10分

A

There was a farm, where lived Farmer John with his wife Molly. They raised pigs, cows and many other animals on their farm. Also there lived a little mouse.

One day John came back with a bag. From the bag, John took out a mousetrap and set it. When the mouse saw this, it ran away in fear and decided to run around the farmyard to warn all its animal friends.

First it met the chicken. "There is a mousetrap on the farm!" The mouse said in fear. But the chicken answered peacefully, "There is nothing to do with me. This is a danger for you, not for me." Then the mouse

rushed to the pig and the cow to tell them about the mousetrap. But they showed no worry about it, either. Sad and depressed, the little mouse returned to the house.

On that night, Molly heard a sound of the mousetrap. She hurried to see what was in it, but because of the darkness, she did not see that it was a poisonous snake, caught in the trap by the tail. Unluckily the snake bit Molly. John rushed her to the hospital. Later, when they returned home, Molly still had a fever. John remembered that chicken soup was good for a fever, so he went to his farmyard to bring the chicken. Molly's sickness continued and many friends came to visit her, the farmer killed the pig so he could treat all the visitors.

Unfortunately, Molly became weaker and weaker and one day she died. Many neighbours, relatives and friends arrived for the funeral. John had to kill the cow to treat all of them.

The mouse watched all that happened with great sadness.

(1) How many animals are mentioned in this passage?

- A. 3 B. 4 C. 5 D. 6

(2) How did the mouse feel when he found the mousetrap?

- A. Afraid. B. Excited. C. Happy. D. Peaceful.

(3) In what order did the story happen?

- a . The mouse went warn his farm animal friends.
b . John made chicken soup for Molly.
c . Friends came to visit Molly.
d . Molly went to find out what was in the mousetrap.
e . The cow and pig showed no worry for the mousetrap.

- A. a-d-e-b-c. B. a-e-d-b-c. C. c-b-d-c-a. D. c-a-b-d-e.

(4) What does the underlined word "funeral" (Paragraph 5) mean in Chinese?

- A. 聚会 B. 田园 C. 牛棚 D. 葬礼

(5) What can we learn from the story?

- A. Don't tell anybody about your own trouble.
B. Sometimes helping others is helping yourself.
C. When using a mousetrap, you must be careful.
D. It's better to leave your friends to their own trouble alone.

4. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第31~35题10分

B

Several years ago, Bethany, a student at Santa Clara University in California, took a cultural trip to Ecuador. The people she met there lived in houses the size of an American garage. They wore old clothes and fed their families with simple food. To Bethany's surprise, they looked happy.

Young Americans like Bethany have been slow to enjoy the "simple life". But thanks to journeys in foreign countries and some speeches, some are beginning to learn that less can be more.

On any day in Ecuador, Bethany could join a game of class or played football with children on the street. But free time is a rare (罕见的) thing in US universities. Students are busy with classes, jobs and social (社交的) activities. Luckily, some parts of the "simple life" are able to get, even for the business students.

Some universities have made programmes to help students better use their time and money. They offer speeches about how to get relaxed by cleaning a desk and walking more slowly. These are starting stages for a "simple life", to be sure, but one has to begin somewhere.

Anna said that the simple living class is an unforgettable experience to her. "It really asked me to look at my life," she said, describing how she has changed her buying habits. "I've made this my rule" If in two days I still want it, I'll get it. Before, I would just buy it. Now I just forget about my old habits."

(1) In Ecuador, ____ .

- A. people appeared to hate their simple life
- B. people wore old clothes
- C. houses were very big
- D. food was very delicious

(2) What do the underlined words "less can be more" in Paragraph 2 mean?

- A. A simple life with less requirement may make you happier.
- B. Less free time can produce more activities.
- C. Buying less can bring you more money.
- D. A family living in a smaller house has more love.

(3) ____ is helpful for students learning that less can be more.

- A. Taking computer classes in their free time
- B. Having more social activities
- C. Taking journeys in foreign countries
- D. Playing football with children on weekends

(4) ____ is NOT a stage to a "simple life".

- A. Using time and money well
- B. Walking more slowly
- C. Cleaning your classroom
- D. Making public speeches

(5) What is Anna's buying habit now?

- A. Choosing something cheap.
- B. Buying anything she wants.
- C. Buying something after thinking it carefully.
- D. Buying something second-hand.

5. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第36~40题10分

C

Some time ago I got a gift from both of my children. It had nothing to do with Father's Day. However, at the same time it had everything to do with Father's Day.

My son was studying in a high school in Colorado. He lived in the school. When we were talking on the phone he shared (分享) some wonderful news with me.

He said, "You know Dad, I am really happy with my life. I can't think of a thing that I would change about the way that I grew up, or the way that my life is now."

My daughter was living with her mother in Northern California at that time. She said almost the same thing to me just a few days later.

Of course, I was glad to hear this from both of them. And I told them both how happy I was, not only that they were happy, but that they expressed it to me.

And that was the gift that they were giving me --- with the heart of communication. Certainly I hope for good news when I hear from them. But mostly I love that they will share their real feelings with me. Happy or sad, I love to know their real thoughts and feelings.

For a child, Father's Day isn't really about giving Dad a gift. It is about understanding the love that fathers express when they help put food on the table, teach their child to ride a bike, raise their child's spirits at a football game, etc.

For a father, Father's Day isn't so much about getting gifts for a job well done. Remember, the greatest gift that we give our children is the real expression of our love. It isn't enough for them to feel love inside ourselves: we need to express that love.

(1) The writer's son said _____ on the phone.

- A. he was happy but wanted to have a change
- C. he hoped to grow up quickly

- B. he was really happy with his life
- D. he wished to get a gift from him

(2) The writer's daughter _____ .

- A. loved her mother more than him
- C. told him she was happy with her life

- B. was studying in Colorado
- D. once lived alone

(3) The writer wants to know children's _____ .

- A. good news
- B. real feelings
- C. understanding
- D. gifts

(4) For a child, what is the real meaning of Father's Day according to this article?

- A. Knowing his father' s love through daily life.
- C. Helping his father with some work.
- B. Getting a gift from his father.
- D. Making his father happy.

(5) What is the main idea of this article?

- A. Understanding the love of parents.
- C. Feeling the love inside.
- B. Getting gifts from children.
- D. Expressing you love to your families.

6. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第41~45题10分 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区中山大学附属中学初二下学期期中第61~65题10分

D

Useful Information about Australia

•Useful Numbers

All the telephone numbers are useful and free.

Fire/ Police/ Ambulance (救护车) -000 Telephone information-12455

Medical (医学的) Care-1300369359 Taxi-1800421113

•Surfing the Internet

With so many Internet tearooms and public libraries, it's easy to surf the Internet in Australia. Also it's very cheap for you to surf the Internet. Public libraries offer free Internet every day even during public holidays. Many travel managers provide connection which is cheap or free.

•Post Service

All post offices around the country offer post services (服务) so you can receive mails as you travel around the whole country. Post offices are usually open from Monday to Friday from 9 am to 5 pm. It costs 50 cents to send a standard (标准的) letter in Australia.

•Public Holidays

On public holidays all shops are closed across Australia, so are banks and post offices.

★ New Year's Day-1st January

★ Australia Day-26th January

★ Christmas Day-25th December

(1) If there is a fire, you can call _____ in Australia.

A. 1300369359

B. 180042113

C. 000

D. 12455

(2) Which is the right time to send a letter in a post office in Australia?

A. At 8:30 on Tuesday.

B. At 9:30 on Sunday.

C. At 8:30 on

D. At 9:30 on Monday.

Saturday.

(3) Mr. Green lives alone in Australia and he isn't in good health. He needs a nurse to look after him.

What should he do?

A. Go to an Internet tearoom.

B. Send a letter to his son.

C. Call 1300369359.

D. Go to a hospital.

(4) Which one might be open on public holidays?

A. Public libraries.

B. Shops.

C. Banks.

D. Post offices.

(5) Which one is not right according to (根据) the above passage?

A. Surfing the Internet is cheap in Australia.

B. It costs 50 cents to send a standard letter.

C. Australians go to work on 26th January.

D. Australians don't go shopping on public holidays.

任务型阅读

7. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第46~50题5分

People of all ages follow comic strips in newspapers, magazines and movies. Are you a lover of comic strips? 1

Comic strips first came out during the 1800s and remain much the same style (类型) today. These comics are drawn in connected boxes. ____2____

The comic books first appeared during the 1930s. It seemed that everyone wanted to read comic books. They loved reading about the adventures of The man of Steel and Batman. During the 1940s, many countries were at war. ____3____

After the war, people became less interested in old comic book characters. ____4____ The new superheroes, such as Fantastic Four, X-men, and Spiderman, talked and acted more like real people. As time went on, comic books had to compete (竞争) with TV because more and more people liked watching TV.

Comic strips give people a lot of fun. ____5____ . In this world, the hero always wins.

- A. The boxes usually show a story.
- B. So new superheroes had to be made.
- C. And you know the history of comic strips?
- D. They can take people away from their daily lives into another world and make people feel amazing.
- E. Some comic book characters, such as Captain America, reflected (反映) the times.

首字母填空

8. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第51~56题6分

单词拼写

- (1) He h ____ his leg in an accident last year, but he has lots of courage.
- (2) Mike has nothing to do these days, so he is feeling b ____ .
- (3) These oranges w ____ about 2 kilograms.
- (4) A family picture is h ____ on the wall in the living room.
- (5) I would like to listen to some music. Could you help me to p ____ this CD, please?
- (6) We will feel nervous when we f ____ hundreds of people to give a talk.

完成句子

9. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第57~65题14分

完成句子

- (1) 这个年轻人很勇敢，他从火场里救出了孩子。
____ very brave ____ the young man ____ save the child in the fire.
- (2) 在过去，大部分家庭都用油灯和蜡烛照亮房间。
In the past, oil lamps and candles ____ to light the rooms by most families.
- (3) 这个箱子如此重，他自己抬不起来。
The case is ____ for him ____ lift ____ .

(4) 因为头痛的困扰, 爸爸昨晚每睡好。

Father didn't sleep well last night because he _____ a headache.

(5) 她一吃完午饭, 就动身去伦敦。

She _____ for London as soon as she finished lunch.

(6) 约翰将会与玛丽在演讲比赛中对决。

John will _____ Mary in the speech competition.

(7) 感谢你提醒我关于明天的志愿者活动。

Thank you for _____ tomorrow's voluntary activity.

(8) 我们刚才在讨论如何在面试中给别人留下好印象。

We just discussed _____ a good impression _____ others in the interview.

(9) 对于熊猫来说, 在野外生存是很困难的。




_____ the wild _____ very difficult for giant panda.

书面表达

10. 2016~2017学年广东广州海珠区第四十一中学初二下学期期中第66题15分

假设你是学校社团负责人, 现要为下学期开学时的社团招募工作做准备。请根据以下内容及提示要求写一篇英语短文, 为新同学介绍下列社团的情况, 要包括社团名称、活动内容及参加的收获。

注意: 词数80左右 (文章开头已给出, 不计入总词数。):

Care Associ ation 活动内 容: 帮助有需要的人; 收 获: 给他们带来欢乐与 安宁。		Cartoon Studio 活动内容: 学 习卡通制作, 给人物添加颜色; 收 获: 可以赢得奖项。		Pet Lovers' 活动内 容: ? 收 获: ?	
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My dear friends, please allow me to introduce some of our interesting clubs to you.